

Washington, Dec. 31.—Rain and warmer tonight; Wednesday rain, colder by afternoon.

TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR
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PROBE OF BOMB OUTRAGES BECOMES NATION-WIDE; 8000 KNOWN DISLOYALISTS BEING INVESTIGATED; ARREST MADE HERE; HOME RESERVES CALLED OUT

CORTELYOU PUTS FORCE WORKING TO HELP SEARCH

Infernal Machine Found on Doorstep of Man Prominent in City

PHONE CALL TO MILLS IS VERY MYSTERIOUS

Suspect in Custody Held Close Prisoner and Not Permitted Visitors

TNT WAS EXPLOSIVE

Homes of Justice von Moschizker, Trigg and Police Superintendent Damaged

The investigation of last night's bomb outrages became nation-wide in its scope this afternoon, when Acting Superintendent of Police Mills received a list of 8000 men whose loyalty is under suspicion.

These men formerly were employed at shipyards and munition plants here. They are now living in all parts of the country.

In last night's outrages, infernal machines, filled with TNT, were set off at the homes of Acting Superintendent of Police Mills, 1139 North Forty-first street; Supreme Court Justice Robert von Moschizker, 2101 De Lancey street and Ernest T. Trigg, president of the Chamber of Commerce, at Sixty-fourth street and Church road, Overbrook.

Numerous Homes Damaged Damage also was done to the garage at the home of Municipal Court Judge James E. Gorman, 6401 Overbrook avenue, adjacent to the Trigg residence. Numerous other homes were slightly damaged.

No one was killed and only one person was hurt, Mrs. William Gray Knowles, wife of the Municipal Court Judge, who lives at 2102 De Lancey street. Her injury is trifling.

The Navy Intelligence Bureau and the shipping board supplied the lists of 8000 names which will form the basis for the nation-wide investigation. Many of the men listed are known to the Federal agents as dangerous characters, discharged from their jobs in war-work factories because they were suspected of complicity in plots to set fire to munition works.

Nation-wide Search Others are known members of various red radical organizations. Police agents and Federal officers all over the country will be asked to run down possible clues furnished by the lists. The police suspect that last night's explosions may have been part of a nation-wide attempt to start a reign of terror in this country.

There were various other important developments during the afternoon, as follows:

The first arrest was made, that of a man said to be high in the I. W. W. His identity is withheld. The man is being questioned. It is said the questioning has had significant results. Other arrests are expected quickly.

Bomb Found on Doorstep Announcement was made of the finding of a bomb on the doorstep of a prominent Philadelphian, whose name the police refuse to reveal. The bomb was turned over to United States ordnance experts.

Acting Superintendent Mills calls out 500 Home Defense Reserves in plain clothes, to guard the churches, the financial district, and the homes of men who were prominent in Liberty loan work.

Provisions made to guard the homes of officers of the army and navy, against whom Mills thinks attacks may next be directed.

Receipt of mysterious telephone call by the acting superintendent. The voice at the other end of the wire said: "Well, you got yours," and the caller rang off.

List of Bolshevik Suspects Entrance of James T. Cortelyou, chief postal inspector here, into the investigation. He has a list of 1200 Bolshevik suspects. The whole strength of his organization is enlisted on the side of the police.

A rumor was current today, based on a statement of one of the highest city officials, that attacks had been planned on the homes of Mayor Smith, at Glenside, and E. T. Trigg, but were frustrated. Chief Cortelyou denied this.

Photographs of the damage wrought by last night's bomb explosions appear on the back page.

BOMB EXPLOSION DAMAGE TO HOME OF ERNEST T. TRIGG



Among the residences of prominent men visited last night by terrorists was the home of Ernest T. Trigg, president of the Chamber of Commerce, at Sixty-fourth street and Church road, Overbrook. The above etching shows some of the injury done to the house. The bomb placed at the residence of Municipal Court Judge James E. Gorman, 6401 Overbrook avenue, adjacent

Houses Damaged in Terrorists' Campaign

Homes of many prominent citizens were damaged by the bomb explosions. In De Lancey street, from Twenty-first to Twenty-second street, few houses escaped. The homes of the following were among those damaged:

Justice Robert von Moschizker, of the State Supreme Court, 2101 De Lancey street. William B. Mills, Acting Superintendent of Police, 1139 North Forty-first street. Ernest T. Trigg, president Chamber of Commerce, 6400 Church road. Judge James E. Gorman, of the Municipal Court, 6401 Overbrook avenue.

Joseph T. Bailey, 2100 De Lancey street. Thomas Reath, 2103 De Lancey street.

Mrs. C. F. Zeigler, 2104 De Lancey street. Judge William Gray Knowles, 2102 De Lancey street.

Miss Anne H. Smith, 2106 De Lancey street.

The Rev. and Mrs. Alexander MacColl, 2108 De Lancey street.

Mrs. Charles J. Biddle, 2110 De Lancey street.

Dr. R. M. Pearce, 2114 De Lancey street.

Mrs. C. W. Duane, 2116 De Lancey street.

Miss Grace L. Hoffman, 2218 De Lancey street.

Roland R. Foulke, 2120 De Lancey street.

Mrs. Murray Shipley, 2128 De Lancey street.

Church of St. Saviour, Twenty-second and De Lancey streets.

Dr. Robert Norwood, 6407 Church road.

William T. Peirson, 6405 Church road.

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J. F. McCoy Gets State Position

James F. McCoy, a newspaper man of this city, will be secretary to the new State Commissioner of Health, Dr. Edward Martin, it became known today.

McCoy was formerly associated with the editorial staff of the Evening Public Ledger. He is now held publicly representative of the Council of National Defense.

MATTRESS SAVES WIFE OF JUDGE

Mrs. von Moschizker Has Narrow Escape From Injury by Flying Shrapnel

HOME BADLY DAMAGED

Penetrating two floors, and the top and bottom of a bookcase, a piece of shrapnel from the bomb exploded at the home of Justice von Moschizker imbedded itself in the mattress of the bed on which Mrs. von Moschizker was sleeping. It is believed the heavy mattress saved her from serious injury.

The explosion caused considerable damage at the von Moschizker home, 2101 De Lancey street. The vestibule was blown out, windows in the house were shattered and bricks were torn out of the front wall.

Tables and bric-a-brac were knocked on the floor and the furniture was scratched. While the glass covering valuable paintings were broken, the pictures were unharmed. Only one portrait, that of the justice's mother, was scratched.

Von Moschizkers Were Asleep "I and my wife were asleep on the second floor," said Justice von Moschizker. "We had retired early—about 10 o'clock. My four-weeks-old son, Michael, and daughters, Kate, five years old, and Bertha, three years, all were asleep on the third floor in the rear of our home. Our two maids, the cook and the nurse, were asleep on the fourth floor when at 11:15 p. m. I was awakened by a tremendous explosion.

"I did not go to the trouble of dressing, as I thought it was only a manhole explosion, but my maid hanged on the door and told me to get dressed. I hurriedly put on my trousers and went downstairs. The house was full of smoke, broken glass, pictures shaken from the wall, tables and chairs upset, china broken. Many of the pictures damaged were of much value. Also many costly vases and other objects of art were ruined.

"When I got to the front door I found many persons gathered there. I noticed that the pavement in front of my home was strewn with anarchistic circulars, probably 100 of them.

Dear Blows to Splinters "Then I noticed the vestibule door was blown to splinters. Slugs from the bomb had penetrated through the dining room door and walls fifty feet away, causing a great damage in this apartment.

"I held the crowd back until the police came and picked up the circulars. After that I went upstairs and to bed. There

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SEEK BOLSHEVİK AGITATOR

American Protective League on Trail of Bomb Outrage Suspect

The American Protective League late this afternoon furnished the police with the name of a Bolshevik agitator who is believed to know something about last night's bomb outrages.

OMIT SUPER-STATE FROM BRITISH PLAN OF NATIONS LEAGUE

England Stands for International Court, With Executive Power—Economic Pressure Must Be Weapon

By CLINTON W. GILBERT Staff Correspondent of the Evening Public Ledger With the Peace Delegation in Europe By Special Cable

London, Dec. 31.—Manchester, the ancient home of British Liberalism, though just swept by the coalition, furnished the most impressive evidence of public support for President Wilson in England.

Three times the immense crowds turned out to welcome him, on his arrival at night, on his setting out for the celebration in the morning and upon his leaving in the afternoon, the last time in the rain.

At the Free Trade Hall he spoke to the biggest public audience he has faced in Europe. When he spoke of the part service should play in the future world, when he said there could be no right except that based on duty, when he said there must be machinery to stop troubles between peoples while they were little and before they had a chance to grow big, his words evoked the typical British "Hear! Hear!" as fervent as the Amen's at an old-fashioned prayer meeting.

The demand for a league of nations is as passionate here as a religious crusade. President Wilson touches a deep moral sentiment in England which, chastened by the war, responds more strongly than America. No government could fail to support the league of nations at Paris and then face sentiment at home. All parties here are for the league except a small fringe of irreconcilable Tories.

Lord Robert a Crusader It is possible to say with the utmost confidence that Lloyd George is sincerely for the league and for what he calls a just peace, not a punitive peace for Germany. Balfour, also, in spite of his more conservative past, is favorable. Lord Robert Cecil is a positive crusader for the idea and will probably bring to Paris a more completely worked out plan for a league than anything brought from America.

The English do not conceive the league as many Wilson supporters in America do, that is as a super-State, possessing a navy and army, corresponding among the nations of world to somewhat the position of our Federal Government among the American States.

Even C. P. Scott, editor of the Manchester Guardian, the greatest Liberal newspaper in the world and an ardent supporter of the league, for whom President Wilson sent at once on his arrival at Manchester and probably the only private citizen in England with whom he sought an interview, regards the idea of an international super-State as impractical.

This is interesting as showing the advanced Liberal view of the league. The only forces the league should employ, Scott thinks, would be the military forces of the individual powers making up the league. Its most effective weapon, he thinks, would be economic pressure, but this again to be carried on by the individual powers making up the league. Apparently Lord Cecil's idea is the prevailing idea in England. The league, according to this plan, would have a great international court and perhaps to some extent a legislature possessing executive functions only in limited international areas like the Dardanelles.

England Delighted at Co-operation England is delighted over Wilson's visit as evidence of co-operation between the Anglo-Saxon powers. She wants America's friendship and cannot do too much to show her appreciation of America and her desire for a mutual understanding. President Wilson's trip here and England's re-

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ENEMY-OWNED INSURANCE STOCK SEIZED

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The largest seizure of enemy-owned insurance stock to date was made today when the Enemy Alien Property Custodian took possession of approximately \$800,000 of the resources of the Cologne Reinsurance Company, a German-owned concern with offices here. The securities were turned in after specific demand had been made for them.

FIVE KILLED WHEN POLES FIRE ON REDS

WARSAW, Dec. 29.—(Delayed.)—Sympathizers with the Bolsheviks marched to the Hotel Bruhl in Warsaw today and demanded the release of six Bolshevik agents. Polish troops fired into the crowd, after several soldiers had been wounded by the mob, and five persons were killed and a number of others wounded.

SHIP FROM U. S. STRANDS OFF FRENCH COAST

LONDON, Dec. 31.—The British steamer Merida, from Baltimore December 6, is stranded off Pointe du Touquet on the French coast south of Boulogne. Although they report the vessel is not damaged, the crew has been obliged to abandon her owing to the heavy weather.

JAPAN'S PEACE POLICY THE "OPEN DOOR" IN EAST

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Peace and the "open door" in the Far East will be the keynote of Japan's policy at the Peace Conference, according to Baron Nobeki Makino, member of the Japanese peace commission, who arrived here today with other members on their way to Paris. The party, including secretaries and other attaches, numbered twenty-four, and came across the continent from San Francisco on a special train provided by the United States Government.

ALLIES WILL SEND FOOD TO GERMAN AUSTRIA VIENNA, Dec. 31.—The Inter-Allied food commission at Berné have informed Austria representatives that the Allies will immediately provide 4000 tons of wheat for German Austria. The Allied and American joint commission is coming to Vienna to negotiate for further supplies, it was reported.

BATOU M OCCUPIED BY BRITISH

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 31.—Allied forces now control the Black Sea coast and the British have occupied Batoum which is connected by pipe line with the oil center of Baku on the Caspian Sea, according to an announcement made here.

PROTECTIVE BODY DANIELS WARNS

ANNOUNCES RAID ROBINSON ON VICE

League Plans Wholesale City Hunt for Law Breakers Tonight

WARNING TO TERRORISTS

The final raid of the American Protective League, which has been ordered to disband, will take place tonight. Assisted by agents of the Department of Justice and marine intelligence operatives of Colonel Hatch, the league members will sweep the city in search for vice, bootleggers and, last but not least, bomb throwers.

This announcement was made this afternoon by Frank H. Gaskill, acting chief of the Philadelphia division of the league. "We wish to forewarn all saloonkeepers, bootleggers, hotel and cafe owners that the revelry tonight must not go beyond the law. There will not be any relaxation regarding the sale of liquor to men in uniform. Offenders will be vigorously prosecuted," he said.

"Furthermore, I have also instructed the Protective League men to keep their ears open for any conversation about Bolshevism and bomb-throwing. Persons with suspicious-looking packages will have their bundles examined, for we do not intend to permit any terrorist to hurt a destructive instrument among the New Year celebrations."

He stated that virtually every section of the city as well as the central district would be swept by the operatives. Appeals will be made to have the Philadelphia branch continue in existence because of the danger from bomb terrorists. The league has been ordered to disband February 1.

Mr. Gaskill announced today that he intended writing immediately to league headquarters in Washington, asking that the Philadelphia body be permitted to continue, as its members can be of valuable service here now.

In the past the league has been active in tracing and liberating Bolsheviki, Revolutionary Club and I. W. W. activities, according to Mr. Gaskill. He was greatly incensed by the bombing that took place last night.

There are foreigners—spiondrels from other lands—who once lived in hats, that come here and want to run this country. They are the riff-raff of their own lands," he said.

"The action of these men in blowing up our city is a disgraceful thing."

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A Review of the Year in the Stock Market

A review of the year's operations in the stock, bond and commodity markets of the principal trade centers will be found on pages 12 and 13 of this issue.

WILSON GOES BACK TO PARIS FROM BRITAIN

Presidential Party Sailed From Dover at 11:20 This Morning

ENGLAND'S RULERS WAVE FAREWELLS

King George and Queen Mary Accompany Americans to Station

WILL HURRY TO ITALY

U. S. Executive Will Arrive at the Italian Capital on Friday

By the Associated Press

London, Dec. 31.—President and Mrs. Wilson left Victoria station at 9:18 o'clock this morning on a special train en route to France.

The presidential party sailed from Dover for Calais at 11:20 o'clock this morning.

King George and Queen Mary and the Duke of Connaught accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wilson to the station. Premier Lloyd George was on the platform and saw the President and his wife depart. The Scots Guards formed the guard of honor and the band of the Irish Guards played.

Among those who were at the station were General Sir William R. Robertson, Vice Admiral W. S. Sims, John W. Davis, the American Ambassador, and Lady Reading. Mrs. Wilson chatted with Queen Mary and shook hands with all present as the train pulled out, the King and Queen waving their handkerchiefs and the band playing as it left the station.

Crowds Cheers Wilson

It was a dark and rainy morning, but crowds lined the streets from Buckingham Palace to the station and cheered as the procession passed. President Wilson and King George were in the first carriage; Mrs. Wilson, Queen Mary and Princess Mary in the second, and members of the President's party and court officials were in the three other carriages. Mrs. Wilson's umbrella was raised, on account of the rain, but she nodded and smiled to the crowds at the station.

Mr. Wilson and King George in the band played the guard while the band played the "Star-Spangled Banner." President and Mrs. Wilson bade farewell to King George, Queen Mary and Princess Mary in the waiting-room and then took their leave of Premier Lloyd George, Andrew Bonar Law, Lord Robert Cecil and Sir Eric Geddes, who were at the station.

As Queen Mary and Mrs. Wilson, followed by President Wilson and King George, left the waiting-room on their way to the royal saloon, which was beautifully decorated with flowers, the band played "Over There." The guests on the platform applauded enthusiastically.

Accompanied to Dover With Mr. and Mrs. Wilson en route to Dover were Lord Hershell, Sir Charles Cust, John W. Davis, Vice Admiral W. S. Sims, Rear Admiral Cary T. Grayson, Major General John Biddle, Colonel William W. Harts and Miss Edith Benham, secretary to Mrs. Wilson.

Others who traveled on the presidential train to Dover were Colonel S. L. H. Slocum, J. Butler Wright and Herbert C. Hoover.

Queen Mary and Mrs. Wilson carried on animated conversation to the last moment. President Wilson having to call Mrs. Wilson's attention to the fact that the train was pulling out.

The presidential train reached Dover at 11 o'clock and little time was lost in boarding the steamer Brighton, which set out almost immediately on the cross-channel trip.

The morning was cold and raw, with a sharp east wind whipping the channel into white caps, indicating that the crossing was likely to be a rough one. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather conditions, however, both President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson re-

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THE WEATHER VANE

Also: rain and warmer tonight, it is plain The Old Year is showing some sorrow.

But though the New Year will come in with the rain 'Twill be colder—and brighter tomorrow.